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In re Application of
Shamim Ahmed, et al.
Application No. 09/250,027
Filed: February 11, 1999
Attorney Docket No. 59.0010DIV

ON PETITION

This is a decision in response to the petition, filed November 13, 2007, to revive the above-identified application under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.137(b).

The petition is **GRANTED**.

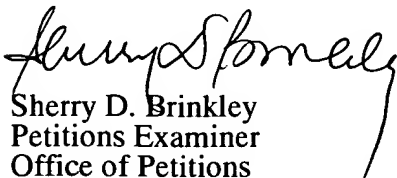
The above-identified application became abandoned for failure to reply in a timely manner to a Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment mailed October 15, 2007. This decision precedes the mailing of a Notice of Abandonment was mailed. On November 13, 2007, the present petition was filed.

The petition satisfies the requirements of 37 CFR 1.137(b) in that petitioner has supplied (1) the reply in the form of an amendment; (2) the petition fee of \$1,540¹; and (3) an adequate statement of unintentional delay.

It is noted that the petition is not signed by an attorney or agent of record in the above-identified application. However, in accordance with 37 CFR 1.34(a), the signature of Danita Maseles appearing on the petition shall constitute a representation to the United States Patent and Trademark Office that she is authorized to represent the particular party on whose behalf she acts.

The application is being referred to Technology Center AU 2194 for consideration of the amendment filed November 13, 2007.

Telephone inquiries concerning this decision should be directed to the undersigned at (571) 272-3204. Inquiries relating to further prosecution should be directed to the Technology Center.


Sherry D. Brinkley
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¹ Petitioner submitted a petition fee of \$1,330 on November 13, 2007. Effective September 30, 2007, the requisite petition fee was increased to \$1,540. Accordingly, the \$210 balance of the petition fee is being charged to counsel's deposit account as authorized.